



# The legend of the Witches' lake



The Witches' lake is situated in Boldu-Cresteasca forest, in Boldesti village. The villagers say that it is a cursed lake, recognized and feared by the local people . It is situated exactly in the heart of the Boldu-Cresteasca forest . It is not very big , with a diameter of 5 metres . Apparently, it is something very innocent, but the lake is surrounded by supernatural forces and it is also a place where a lot of unexplained things have happened.

The fame of the lake is well-known by the gypsy witches who came here from all over the world on St. George , Sanziane and St. Andrew.nights. It is said that, on these nights, the gates of other worlds temporarily open.

It is a place of power which is transmitted from one witches generation to another. In the witches opinion, every curse said here will surely come true. As a confirmation to this legend, the local people noticed strange facts near the lake, like ball flashes and storms which took place only in the perimeter of the lake.

Also , a lot of animals ( like horses , cows , pigs , sheep , goats dogs or cats ) refused to drink from the lake , looking like they would rather die of thirst than drink from the cursed lake.

The pond, which has a depth of only one and a half meter, doesn't dry out, arise or abate even if it's drought or if it's raining. Nevertheless, according to legends, the pond is bottomless .

People in the area say that they threw a boulder ,which weighs 20 kilos, in the water. The boulder was gone with the wind for 2 weeks...

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## PLACES CONNECTED TO THE LEGEND *"The witches' lake"*



*The Witches' lake is situated in Boldu Cresteasca forest in Boldesti village.*



*The forest around the lake.*

